

Structural Engineers Association of Colorado Young Member Group

Gaylord Rockies Site Visit

Denver, CO

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Eleven members of the SEAC YMG toured the Gaylord Rockies Resort. This project utilized steel and concrete and is located near the Denver International Airport. Upon completion, the resort will feature 1,501 guest rooms, over 485,000 sq.ft. of flexible space, retail space, a pool, a lazy river and magnificent views of the Rocky Mountains. The long span steel trusses supported by tilt-up concrete panels in the large open spaces presented a multitude of phasing and erection challenges. This was a great opportunity for some of our members to be able to learn some of the challenges presented by large multi-use project, especially since 2 of the attendees participated in the design process. The tour was hosted by LPR Construction, out of Loveland Colorado who holds the steel erection contract. We would like to thank LPR Construction for their willingness to host this event as well as Mortenson Construction making the project site available.

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